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$$\nabla E_{aug}(\mathbf{w}) = \nabla E_{in}(\mathbf{w}) + \nabla (\frac{\lambda}{N} \mathbf{w}^T \mathbf{w})$$
$$= \nabla E_{in}(\mathbf{w}) + \frac{2\lambda}{N} \mathbf{w}$$

So, the update rule is:

$$\mathbf{w}(t+1) \leftarrow \mathbf{w}(t) - \eta \nabla E_{aug}(\mathbf{w}(t)) = \mathbf{w}(t) - \eta \left(\nabla E_{in}(\mathbf{w}(t)) + \frac{2\lambda}{N} \mathbf{w}(t) \right)$$
$$= \left(1 - \frac{2\eta\lambda}{N} \right) \mathbf{w}(t) - \eta \nabla E_{in}(\mathbf{w}(t))$$

3.

Let
$$A = (-1, 0), B = (\rho, 1), C = (1, 0)$$

$$E_{loo} = \frac{1}{3} (error(leave\ B\ out) + error(leave\ A\ out) + error(leave\ C\ out))$$

Let h_{xy} be the corresponding linear hypothesis which have the lowest square error on point x and y, which is the line constructed by x and y (the square error is zero).

$$\begin{split} h_{AC}(x) &= 0, error(leave\ B\ out) = 1 \\ h_{BC}(x) &= \frac{1}{\rho - 1}(x - 1), error(leave\ A\ out) = (h_{BC}(-1) - 0)^2 = \frac{4}{(\rho - 1)^2} \\ h_{AB}(x) &= \frac{1}{\rho + 1}(x + 1), error(leave\ C\ out) = (h_{AB}(1) - 0)^2 = \frac{4}{(\rho + 1)^2} \\ \text{So, } E_{loo}(\rho) &= \frac{1}{3}\Big(1 + \frac{4}{(\rho - 1)^2} + \frac{4}{(\rho + 1)^2}\Big) \end{split}$$

Let
$$E_{aug}(\mathbf{w}) = \frac{\lambda}{N} \|\mathbf{w}\|^2 + E_{in}(\mathbf{w}) = \frac{\lambda}{N} \|\mathbf{w}\|^2 + \frac{1}{N} \|\mathbf{X}\mathbf{w} - \mathbf{y}\|^2$$

$$\nabla E_{aug}(\mathbf{w}) = \frac{2\lambda}{N} \mathbf{w} + \nabla E_{in}(\mathbf{w}) = \frac{2\lambda}{N} \mathbf{w} + \frac{2}{N} (\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{X} \mathbf{w} - \mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{y})$$
SGD:
$$\nabla E_{aug}(\mathbf{w}) = \frac{2\lambda}{N} \mathbf{w} + \nabla E_{in}(\mathbf{w}) \approx \frac{2\lambda}{N} \mathbf{w} + 2(\mathbf{w}^T \mathbf{x}_n \mathbf{x}_n - y_n \mathbf{x}_n)$$

(use point (x_n, y_n) to approximate the true gradient)

So the update rule is:

$$\begin{aligned} \boldsymbol{w}_{t+1} &= \boldsymbol{w}_t - \eta \nabla E_{aug}(\boldsymbol{w}_t) \\ &= \boldsymbol{w}_t - \eta \left(\frac{2\lambda}{N} \boldsymbol{w}_t + 2(\boldsymbol{w}_t^T \boldsymbol{x}_n \boldsymbol{x}_n - y_n \boldsymbol{x}_n) \right) \\ &= \left(1 - \frac{2\eta\lambda}{N} \right) \boldsymbol{w}_t - \eta \left(2(\boldsymbol{w}_t^T \boldsymbol{x}_n \boldsymbol{x}_n - y_n \boldsymbol{x}_n) \right) \end{aligned}$$

The update rule in Q3 looks like this:

$$\mathbf{w_{t+1}} = \left(1 - \frac{2\eta\lambda}{N}\right)\mathbf{w_t} - \eta\nabla E_{in}(\mathbf{w_t})$$
We can observe that $\left(1 - \frac{2\eta\lambda}{N}\right)\mathbf{w_t} - \eta\left(2(\mathbf{w_t^T}\mathbf{x_n}\mathbf{x_n} - y_n\mathbf{x_n})\right) \approx \left(1 - \frac{2\eta\lambda}{N}\right)\mathbf{w_t} - \eta\nabla E_{in}(\mathbf{w_t})$

So, the two update rules are probably approximately same, meaning that when we add virtual example $\tilde{X} = \sqrt{\lambda} I$, $\tilde{y} = 0$ in the training data set and do normal SGD without regularization, it can reach the same result using GD with regularization.

5.

For target function $\sin(ax)$, $x \in [0, 2\pi]$, the squared error for h(x) = wx is:

$$err(w) = \int_0^{2\pi} (\sin(ax) - wx)^2 dx = -\frac{2w\sin(2\pi a)}{a^2} - \frac{\cos(2\pi a)(\sin(2\pi a) - 8\pi w)}{2a} + \frac{8\pi^3 w^2}{3} + \pi$$
$$\frac{\partial err(w)}{\partial w} = -\frac{2\sin(2\pi a)}{a^2} + \frac{\cos(2\pi a)(8\pi)}{2a} + \frac{16\pi^3 w}{3}$$

To solve $\min_{w} err(w)$, we need to solve the equation $\frac{\partial err(w)}{\partial w} = 0$. After calculation, we get:

$$w = \frac{\frac{2sin(2\pi a)}{a^2} - \frac{\cos(2\pi a)(8\pi)}{2a}}{\frac{16\pi^3}{3}} = \frac{3sin(2\pi a) - 6\pi a\cos(2\pi a)}{8\pi^3 a^2}$$

So, for each x, the level of deterministic noise is $\left| \sin(ax) - \frac{3\sin(2\pi a) - 6\pi a\cos(2\pi a)}{8\pi^3 a^2} x \right|$